

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:357

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MISUSE OF FUNDS

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has released any funds for the upgradation of the airports;
- (b) if so, the details of such airports alongwith the fund released during the last three years;
- (c) whether the Government has received complaints regarding misuse of these funds;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. Government provides Budgetary Support to Airports Authority of India (AAI) for development of the airports in North - East region and other crucial areas. During the years 2003-04, 2004-05 & 2005-06, Government had released Rs.22.08 crores, Rs. 30.00 crores & Rs.36.00 crores respectively to AAI as Budgetary Support. The Budgetary Support is not released airportwise.

(c) No, Sir.

(d)& (e) Do not arise.